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Via ECFS Marlene H. Dortch, Secretary Federal Communications Commission 445 12th Street, S.W. Washington, D.C. 20554

Re: In the Matter of Petition of USTelecom for Forbearance Pursuant to 47 U.S.C. Section 160(c); WC Docket No. 18-141; Category 1

Dear FCC,

I support broadband competition and wish to use local providers, rather than be limited to one or two providers who are not of my choosing.

Competitive telephone service is also very important to me.

Please do not limit the choices for me and the members of my community for broadband and telephone services.

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